

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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	Application Number: 10/631,954	Art Unit: 1787	Conf. Number: 1780
	Filing Date: July 30, 2003	Examiner: Hoa T. Le	
		Title: Particulates and Methods of Utilizing These Particulates in Subterranean Applications	

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114. Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise.
 - a. Previously submitted in response to final Office action submitted on July 12, 2006.
 - i. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief submitted on July 13, 2007.
 - ii. Other _____.
 - b. Enclosed
 - i. Amendment/Reply iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iv. Other _____.
2. Miscellaneous.
 - a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Not to exceed three months; fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
 - b. Other _____.
3. Fees. The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.
 - a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fee, any under payments, or credit any over payments to Deposit Account No. 500417, Order Number 086108-0226
 - i. RCE fee, \$810 for non-small entity.
 - ii. Extension of time fee for _____ months at \$ _____.
 - iii. Other _____.
 - b. A check in the amount of _____ is enclosed.
 - c. Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

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<p>I am the</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> applicant / inventor</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest.</p> <p>See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record or acting under 37 CFR 1.34.</p> <p>Registration Number: <u>53,086</u></p>	<p>Signature <u>Iona N. Kaiser/</u></p> <p>Printed Name <u>Iona N. Kaiser</u></p> <p>Telephone Number <u>713-653-1724</u></p> <p>Date <u>June 11, 2010</u></p>
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